

MEMORANDUM FOR: Thomas G. Shepherd, Colonel, USAF
Chief, Reconnaissance Plans and
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25X1 FROM : [REDACTED]
Chief, Community Representation Group
Requirements & Evaluation Staff
National Foreign Assessment Center

SUBJECT : Request for Airborne Reconnaissance Data [REDACTED]

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25X1 1. In order to assemble historical data relating to reconnaissance of Cuba, I request that JRC or other records be reviewed for the [REDACTED] flights targetted primarily against Cuba covering the calendar years 1962 to date. I would like this data provided in terms of numbers of missions (scheduled or flown) per month per platform (or code name). [REDACTED]

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2. Recognizing that data prior to 1973 may be difficult to assemble, I would like an initial response from you (by phone will suffice) of the likelihood that such data can be assembled and, if it can, the time frame in which it may become available. [REDACTED]

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3. This data has been requested by the Deputy Director, National Foreign Assessment Center for use in current SCC and PRC(I) reviews of the Soviet presence in Cuba. [REDACTED]

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